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Dear Josh:

I meant to write you very much sooner concerning the presumptive 'phage for  $F^+$  bacteria but forgot about it until I returned from Europe in early June. In the meantime the originally specific-seeming characteristics of the 'phage are no longer as clear-cut. I am herewith sending you the data accumulated on the 'phage by Dr. Eugene Goldschmidt. I am also including a lysate of the 'phage in case you still want to use it.\*

With best regards to you and Esther.

Yours,



‡ Incls  
Data on 'phage  
and lysate

OTTO E. LANDMAN  
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\* I am sending lysate  
under separate cover.